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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Mr. Mitchell Watkins, who has been ill with influenza, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Ernest Pettit died yesterday at her home at Accotink, Fairfax county Death was due to influenza.

Liberty Lodge No. 16, Rebekahs, will meet at 7:30 o'clock tonight at Odd Feliows' Hall.

Revival meeting continuess with great interest at the Free Methodist Church South Lee street.

Subscriptions are now being received at the First National Bank for a limited amount of the new stock of that institution at $250 per share.

A number of matters of importance will be up for consideration at the semi-monthly meeting of city council which will be held tonight.

Sergt. Lawrence W. Corbett, this city, is now in Cologne, Germany, according to word received from him by friends in this city.

Mr. John Hunter of Fairfax county, is reported seriously ill with pneumonia at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. T. M. Cragg, 527 North Columbus street.

Sergt. Ulysses S. Savage of Battery E, 52nd Coast Artillery Corps, who recently returned from overseas, during the past week was the guest of Miss Margaret Hicks, 406 Wilkes street.

The work of repairing the damage done by the fire to Washington public school building, which occurred January 8, has been completed and the rooms damaged are again occupied.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Finnell have receivec word that their son, Corp. Millard H. Finnell has arrived in Plaffendorf, Germany. He is with the army of occupation guarding the Rhine.

Ralph Smith, four months old, son of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Smith, died yesterday at his parents' residence, 235 South Peyton street. The funeral took place this afternoon. Rev. Dr. E. V. Regester, pastor of the M. E. Church South, officiating.

A euchre and entertainment will be given Wednesday night at 8 o'clock in the Lyceum Hall under the auspices of St. Rita's Catholic Church, Mount Ida. Many pretty and handsome prizes will be awarded the successful contestants.

The funeral of Peter Newman, who died Sunday, took place this afternoon from his late residence, 810 Princess street, Rev. Dr. W. J. Morton, rector of Christ P. E. Church, officiating. Burial was in Bethel cemetery.

Mr. Frank Devers, wireless operator of the U. S. S. Shaumut, is on a brief furlough to his home in this city. Mr. Devers has been in the North Sea for the past ten months with the American mining squadron, laying the barrage from the Orkney Islands to the coast of Norway.

WILSON AT RHEIMS

Spends Sunday in Devastated Regions—Lunched at Chateau-Thierry.

Paris, Jan. 28.—President Wilson resumed work on the peace settlement yesterday with the picture of many little American cemeteries, miles of desolated countryside and scores of ruined villages fresh in his mind.

"No one can put into words the impressions I have received in the midst of such scenes of desolation and ruin," he declared, after leaving the skeleton of the famous Rheims Cathedral Sunday.

President and Mrs. Wilson spent the entire day in the devastated area. They left Paris in an automobile early in the morning, took lunch at Chateau-Thierry and returned from Rheims by train in the evening.

MASONIC NOTICE

Mount Vernon Royal Arch Chapter, No. 14, will hold a called convocation Tuesday, January 28 at 7.30 p. m. Work: S. R. and M. E.

C. P. HEISHLEY, High Priest.
28-2t.

CORN SHOW IN FAIRFAX

Second Annual Exhibit Will be Held February 18 at Courthouse—Six Sets of Prizes for Successful Competitors.

The Fairfax county farm bureau will hold its second annual corn show at the courthouse, February 18. A new plan will be adopted this year in the competition. There will be six sets of prizes or premiums, one for each district. In this way the men and boys from each district will only compete with others from the same district.

Last year some of the farmers living in districts that think they cannot raise fine corn, stated that they would not compete with corn raised in Dranesville and Providence districts.

By the new plan they will not be compelled to do so.

In addition to the six district prizes there will be a grand championship class open to all.

All exhibits must be 1918 grown, and Fairfax county corn.

For information write Harry B. Darr, county agent, Fairfax, R. F. D. No. 2.

SERGT. STEINER DECORATED.

Sergt. Benjamin S. Steiner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Steiner, a member of the 26th Yankee division, has had the French cross conferred on him by that government for bravery while in action according to word just received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Steiner.

Since he has been overseas Sergt. Steiner has been gassed and slightly wounded. He was a member of the old Alexandria Light Infantry.

GETS WIDE RANGE OF TYPES FOR 'VULTURES.'

Types of the underworld, from the drug fiend to the genial colored porter have been chosen by E. H. Calvert, Essanay director for the new production, "Vultures of Society," which deals with the operation of a band of outlaws who prey upon society and get away with it. Director Calvert, always on the lookout for types, was accosted by a "bum" as he walked in the loop. "Say, Boss, can you let me have somethin' for a night's lodging? whined the "panhandler."

Calvert looked him over. "You look good to me," he said finally. He gave the bearer fifty cents and his card. "Come to that address at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning," he said.

Promptly at 9 the rejuvenated man was on the job. He was placed in the picture in one of the type scenes. The play features Lillian Drew, Marguerite Clayton, E. H. Calvert and Ernest Maupain. At the Grand tomorrow also a two-reel Keystone comedy.

FLU GRIPS ATLANTA

Southern City Swept by Epidemic; Physicians in Conference.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 28.—Atlanta faces a possible closing order today for the second time within six months as a result of influenza breaking out anew.

The disease has gained considerable headway within the last few days. Physicians say precautionary measures must be taken at once. A meeting of the Fulton County Medical Society was held here last night. Officers in charge of the base hospital at Fort McPherson will attend.

Closing of schools and theaters as a means of preventing further spread of the disease may be recommended.

INGOMAR THEATRE

In J. Warren Kerrigan's latest Paralta Play, "A Burglar for a Night" which comes to the Ingomar theatre tonight, this popular star will be seen in a typical Kerrigan portrayal, brim full of action from begining to end. The early scenes of the story are laid in the Orient where Mr. Kerrigan is called upon to engage in a lively encounter with a band of Chinese thugs. Later, after a number of lively episodes on board his yacht, he is seen in this country where he saves not only his father's fortune, but also wins the daughter of his opponent. A Christy comedy will also be shown.

SUICIDE VERDICT

Tubman Was Formerly Employed at Camp Humphreys

Estranged from his wife for several months, Albert Magruder Tubman, 45 years old, formerly employed on a contracting job at Camp Humphreys, Va., committed suicide late yesterday afternoon.

His body, with a revolver lying on the floor nearby, was found on the bed in the room where he boarded, at 805 New Jersey avenue northwest, about 8 o'clock last night.

An ambulance from Casualty Hospital was summoned, but when the physician in charge reached the house, he said that Tubman had been dead several hours.

James J. Haney, proprietor of the house, told the police that the revolver found in Tubman's room, from which one bullet had been discharged was his (Haney's) property, and that Tubman had been alone in the house for several hours.

Tubman's two brothers, Dr. J. R. Tubman and Benjamin Tubman, survive him besides his wife, the actress of whom the police could not learn late last night.

WARRANT FOR KAISER

Kalamazoo, Mich., Jan. 28.—William Hohenzollern, former Kaiser, is charged with attempted murder by James Van Gierson, of this city, who got ont a warrant for William's arrest. The warrant charges he "maliciously wounded James Van Gierson with deadly weapons discharged either by himself or by his orders.

Van Gierson was wounded at Chateau Thierry.

"DRY" PROCLAMATION

Thirty-Six States Send in Certifications to State Department

Thirty-six States, the necessary three-fourths, had certified to the State Department their ratification of the Federal prohibition amendment yesterday and preparation of a proclamation to make the amendment effective was ordered. Certifications were received early in the day from Wisconsin, North Carolina, Utah and Kansas, the latter being the thirty-sixth State to report.

It was understood that the proclamation would be issued within a few days. Officials of the department planned to date it January 16, 1918 on their understanding of the law that the amendment would become effective one year from the date of its ratification by the thirty-sixth State—Nebraska.

PRUSSIA SEEKS TO RULE

Coalition of Bavaria and Other States May Defeat Purpose, However.

Berne, Jan. 28.—The struggle between Prussia and Bavaria for leadership of the German republic is growing in scope and intensity.

Dispatches received here indicate that as soon as representatives of the various German states went into conference Saturday to prepare a constitution to submit to the national assembly, the Bavarian minister endeavored to form a coalition against Prussia.

The Bavarians apparently have succeeded in lining up Baden, Wurtumburg and Hesse. Anhalt and other duchies are demanding independence from Prussia.

The chance of Berlin becoming the capital of the new republic also appears to be waning. Sporadic demonstrations by the Spartacans continue, giving rise to the belief that selection of another city would be more politic for reasons of safety, even if no other element were taken into consideration.

The Bavarian constituent assembly has decided to await the action of the national assmbly at Weimar before deciding on Bavaria's form of government.

Sailors at Hamburg are reported to have refused to allow a single ship to leave until working conditions are improved.

HE FINALLY ADVERTISED

There was a man in our town,
And he was wondrous wise,
He swore by all the gods that be,
He would not advertise.
At last one day he advertised,
And thereby hangs a tale;
The ad was set in nonpareil
And headed "Sheriff's Sale."

—Midway (Ky.) Clipper.

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

More Than 400 Students Now Attending A. H. S.—Splendid Faculty—Military Training Given—Athletic Teams Make Good Showing.

There are more than four hundred students in the Alexandria High School at the present time. The school board wisely elected a faculty who are all college people, and who are not only capable of doing first class work but are conscientiously doing everything in their power for the rapid progress of the students. The subjects are divided among the teachers as follows:

Mr. Trussell teaches history, Mr. Hayden and Miss Dickert mathematics Miss Ficklin has history, Mr. Ray and Miss Reardon latin, Mrs. Benoist has English, Miss Iden, French, and Col. Ficklin has science.

All the students are doing excellent work. Their attendance is good, which is necessary for a successful school. They are prompt in reaching the school and are doing hard work after they reach the school. The school opens at 9 a. m. sharp and closes promptly at 2:30. The students during the day have one study period. Later, probably, a business course will be given and a large per cent of the pupils will avail themselves of that opportunity.

The citizens of Alexandria are proud of their beautiful school building. It is an ornament to any city. The building was erected in 1915 at a cost of more than $50,000. It is splendidly kept by Mr. Humphreys who sees that the rooms are warm and comfortable at all times for the children.

The football team in the fall and the two basket ball teams have won much glory for themselves and for the school.

The boys basket ball team has not met defeat a single time, and they have played some of the strongest teams in Virginia. Coach Hayden deserves much praise for his fine work with the team, also, Miss Dickert and Miss Reardon have worked the girls team into a splendid fighting machine.

Military training is given in the school. This is a great help to the school work and should be stressed more and more. It is hoped that in the near future credit will be given for work done in the cadet corps.

The school is open at all times to patrons or any other person who desires to visit the school. It is doing most excellent work and will compare favorably with any school in the state.

MUST WATCH GERMANY

Allied Demobilization Should Await Her Complete Surrender.

Paris, Jan. 28.—Marshall Foch rendered the Allied Powers a valuable service when he placed before the Supreme Council his report on his negotiations with the German representatives at the time of the renewal of the armistice, says The Echo D'Paris, in commenting upon the plans for the demobilization of the various armies on the basis of mutual understanding. The report pointed the way toward a proper and wise method, the newspaper declares, for he laid emphasis on the fact that the coming peace must not merely be a written one, but one in actuality—in other words, that it must be a peace imposed upon the enemy and that sufficient man power should be maintained to enforce it.

"Germany," continues the article, "has not yet completely surrendered. She is seeking for accomplices and cannot fail ultimately to find a few such. The Governments, therefore, should not demobilize their forces without a common understanding. This course, if persisted in, would rapidly lessen the value of the peace treaty. The powers should come to an understanding as to the forces which they intend maintaining in Germany. Such an understanding is essential to the preservation of a proper state of things, both in Europe, as a whole and in France in particular, as France cannot go on bearing indefinitely the mortgage of disproportionate military responsibility."

The second annual dance of the Imperial Club will be given at Odd Fellows Hall, North Columbus Street Thursday night, January 30. 23-2t.

GERMANY OF TODAY

Result of Recent Elections Shows Artificial Character of Political Revolution

Paris, Jan. 28.The result of the elections to the German constitutional assembly illumines the artificial character of the political revolution in November, 1918. The results are exactly such as would have been produced under the old regime with general suffrage granted and irregularities of distribution of election districts corrected.

In 1912 the Socialists polled about 5,000,000 votes, or nearly forty per cent of the total vote. They certainly have not polled more this time, only they have obtained the exact proportion which is their due.

The German Centrist party has not changed. It has proved again that it has a footing in every camp.

The Conservatives have lost what they had formerly appropriated by trickery and gerrymander. The Liberals have recovered from the left what they have lost to the right.

Thus, it is an undeniable fact that the war has not changed the result.

The tremendous blow of defeat, the confusion, improverishment, demobilization and the economic crisis have caused a deep social disturbance which is only beginning. Germany has only had glimpses of the tremendous reckoning facing her.

There is no political reaction. The fear caused by the preliminary manifestations of anarchy counterbalanced the inevitable trend towards the left after history's greatest collapse.

The Germans did not have the least desire to change their government. Four years of hardships such as no other people would have endured, continuous disappointments in victory always expected, always vanishing and the threats of the united world had not shaken their pride. They were firmly convinced that no other government would have resisted so well.

The imperial regime was sacrificed only when it was apparent the sacrifice was the only means of attaining peace.

UNEMPLOYMENT VOLUNTARY

Discharged Soldiers Not Eager for Old Jobs, Kirchwey Says

New York, Jan 28—A large part of the increase amount of unemployment in this country is voluntary and temporary in character, declared Dr. George W. Kirchwey, State director of the United States Employment Service, in an address here.

Discharged soldiers he said, were not eager to return to their old jobs and many were walking the streets to find work of a more dignified character.

He said the army was being demobilized too rapidly from the point of view of industry, with the result that discharged soldiers are concentrating in industrial centres He termed a "Greek gift" the announcement by Secretary of War Baker that no man without a job would be discharged against his will asserting that generally speaking the soldiers wished to get out of uniform as rapidly as possible.

Dr. Kirchwey declared today that he had been incorrectly quoted last night as saying that there were 10,000,000 jobless persons in this country.

"What I did say," he explained, "was that when the armistice was signed the problem was presented of restoring into peaceful occupations 4,000,000 men who had been under arms, and about 8,000,000 war workers." He added that the 8,000,00 war workers are not out of employment at this moment. Hundreds of them, he said, were women.

RICHMOND—Peggy Hyland

Lovers of comedy and romance will find their heart's desire in "Caught in the Act," the William Fox photoplay which is coming tonight to the Richmond. In this tale, filled with fun and mischief, Peggy Hyland is starring in the role of Priscilla Kane. As a schoolgirl she is full of pranks; as a debutante she defies every convention.

She is the sort of breezy, wholesouled girl that everyone loves. She never is bad, but always is in some sort of scrape. Even her marriage is a schoolgirl prank that takes place on the fire escape of her fiance's bachelor apartments in the small hours of the night.

Pathe Weekly News will also be included in tonight's performance.

DISCUSSED TAXATION THE MANIAC REAPPEARS

Committee Appointed by Civic Bureau of Chamber of Commerce to Investigate Present System—School Teachers' Salaries.

Washington's Madman Abroad Again Last Night—Sought Entrance to a House, But Failed—Intrudes Into Sleeping Apartment of Two Men.

The question of an equitable system of taxation was discussed last night by the civic bureau of the Chamber of Commerce at a meeting of that body.

A committee composed of James Bayne, chairman; J. Randall Caton, H. A. Stewart and R. Stuart Royer, the last named business manager of the Chamber of Commerce, was appointed for the purpose of investigating the present system of taxation on realty and this committee will make its report within the next month or two.

The question of salaries paid public school teachers and school facilities in the city also was discussed.

A committee will be appointed by this bureau to consider this matter and make a report.

Other matters discussed by this bureau were gas and telephone service.

KILLED IN LANDSLIDE

Storm Lets Loose Avalanche That Wrecks Mining Village

Tacoma, Jan. 28.—Three persons were killed in a landslide at Ladd, Wash., a small mining town about 30 miles southeast of this city, during the storm Wednesday night, according to a mine official who has been 30 hours making his way here.

Reports received from western Washington and northern Oregon tell of continued floods which have caused many thousands of dollars' worth of damage.

BERNSTORFF TO BE PEACE DELEGATE

Berlin (via Copenhagen), Jan. 28.—Count Von Bernstorff, former German ambassador to the United States and Prince Lichnowsky, former German ambassador to England, will be members of Germany's peace delegation, it was reported today.

It had previously been reported that Prince Lichnowsky and Count Von Brockdorff-Rentzau former German minister to Denmark, would be German peace delegates, and that Bernstorff's efforts to get a place on the mission had failed.

ACCUSED OF KILLING HUSBAND

Orlando, Fla., Jan. 28.—Mrs. Margaret Simmons Darling is under arrest here, charged with killing her husband, Lloyd E. Darling, who died Sunday night four hours after being shot. The shooting is alleged to have occurred while the two were out walking. Darling was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Darling, of Gloversville, N. Y., who are stopping here.

FOOTPADS WHIPPED

Wilmington, Del., Jan. 28.—Convicted of highway robbery and sentenced to serve two years and whipped with 10 lashes, George Hughes, Edward Stowell and Preston Williams got the whipping at the work house Saturday. Frank Taylor, a thief, was also lashed and will serve four months. The last two were negroes.

NEBRASKA WOMEN WIN

Finally Secure Suffrage Despite Attempts to Block Vote.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 28.—The Nebraska State law giving women partial voting rights, operation of which has been suspended for nearly a year by efforts of anti-suffragists to have the suffrage act submitted to a referendum vote, went back into effect yesterday. The law became effective when a decree was issued in District Court making permanent a temporary injunction enjoining submission of the suffrage act to a referendum vote. Anti-suffragists will appeal the case, it was announced.

Don't forget Euchre and entertainment Wednesday night, January 29 at Lyceum Hall. 24-2t

For results try a classified advertisement in The Gazette.

THIEF FATALLY SHOT

Peppered by Proprietor in Hold-up of Toledo Jewelry Store.

Toledo, Jan. 28.—A jewel thief was fatally shot and the lives of hundreds of pedestrians were endangered in a daylight robbery in the downtown business section here Friday afternoon. Walking into the store of Louis Comlossy, the bandit held up Comlossy and a number of patrons and demanded a tray of diamonds.

Comlossy opened fire with a gun pulled from his hip pocket. The fire was returned and as the bandit backed from the store the proprietor kept firing.

Two hours later, a man giving the name of Joseph Langbauer, 30 years old, of Hamilton, Ohio, asked to have a physician sent to a downtown hotel. Police and Comlossy went with the physician and identified the patient as the thief.

Langbauer, although in a dying condition, is said to have admitted the attempt at theft. He has been working here as an engineer.

POETESS CUTS HER ARTERY, PENS NOTE

San Francisco, Jan. 28.—Nita Pearson, poet and fiction writer, tried humore in her final work—a note to the coroner.

Her body was found yesterday in a gas-filled room in her apartment. She wrote four deaths notes. The one to the coroner was written more than six hours after she severed an artery

"All I don't know about arteries would fill a book," she wrote.

Then she added: "The joke is on me. I always heard that cutting arteries would bring almost instant death. It has been almost six hours since I severed an artery. I bled profusely for awhile, but I've figured out that at this rate I'll live a month."

A motive for the suicide was not found. Miss Pearson came here from New York, in 1912.

DYNAMITE BLAST KILLS

Muskogee, Okla., Jan. 28.—Nine persons were killed and 16 badly injured when a wagon containing a quantity of explosives struck a rut while being driven through the residence section of Big Heart, Okla., Saturday.

Six houses were demolished and scarcely a window in the town left unbroken. Telephone wires to the city are down.

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CRIME AND DISEASE WAVES

The murderous attacks upon women in Washington last week with the assailant still at large, brings forth the query. Is there a crime wave as well as a disease wave spreading over the world just now? We have seen no statistics to sustain either the allegation or the denial as to crime totals at present compared with previous years, but certain forms of crime, such as burglaries and hold-ups, certainly appear to be far above the average.

As a contemporary says, the same thing seems to be true not only in other American cities but in Paris, where some of the increase is attributed to deserting soldiers and to American crooks. In London there is reported to be an unusual prevalence of "dope" resorts and "patrons" of opium "joints."

The murder mystery figures prominently in various sections with other happenings in the criminal world. New York has several on hand, the latest being the discovery of the body of a richly dressed woman on the edge of the Palisades, overlooking the Interstate Park and almost opposite Spuyten Duyvil, Chicago has one or two mysteries of the same kind, and Richmond, Va., has one of a most sensational character.

Five murders were committed in Alexandria during the latter part of last year.

Assuming that crime not only seems but is abnormal in extent at present, is it to be attributed to the immoral psychology of war, or to the unusual opportunities presented in great cities by conditions which have followed the war? Thousands of strangers have been temporarily added to the great centers of population and crooks may find it easy to conceal themselves in these unknown crowds. In most cases police problems have been multiplied without a corresponding multiplication of the police and detective force.

Is crime catching like influenza, and does a disease wave promote a crime wave? We leave the psychologists to wrestle with these questions.

A DANGEROUS GRAFT

The forms of Sovietism are seeking root in America according to dispatches from Seattle, Soldiers and Workmen's Councils have been formed in Seattle and Portland, Ore. And from these cities as centers organizers are attempting to spread the Soviet system throughout the United States.

Clashes with police, arrests, parades, Federal investigation, protest meetings against American interference with Russia, together with the announcement of a radical reconstruction program, have followed this effort to graft modified Bolshevism on American democracy.

"I cannot find words to denounce the Bolshevik and all his works,' said Rev. Dr. Simons in Baltimore yesterday. "They have made a pigsty of all Russia, and I have seen the seeds of the movement here in America. They are the greatest foe to the sanctity of the home that the world has ever known.

"Their treatment of women and girls in Russia is unspeakably horrible. They have taken over the regulation of the white slave traffic as a governmental activity and have erected innumerable houses of ill fame in Petrograd.

"One of the high officials of the regime was heard advising little girls of the Imperial Catherine School—girls of 12 to 15 years—to go on the streets and lead lives of shame."

APPEARANCE OF ROBINS

Bees and robins, sure harbingers of spring, according to ancient weather lore, made their appearance in Washington and vicinity yesterday. Several robin red breasts were seen in Franklin park and in the reservation south of the White House. Honey bees, attracted from their winter retreats by the genial sunshine and soft atmosphere, were seen on a flower hunt in the Botanic Garden. The appearance of bees and robins are in the nature of a certain forecast that the rigors of winter are over and that pleasant meteorological conditions are about to prevail, is the opinion of many, although we have seen robins shot while snow was on the ground.

The old fable of the young spendthrift and the swallow should not be forgotten. On a soft and beautiful day early in February he saw a swallow, and supposed that spring had come. He sold his cloak, believing he had no further use for this outer garment. In less than forty-eight hours a blizzard made a descent upon his section of country. What has happened before is liable to happen again.

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Everyday Milk, large 15c, small	7c	Potomac Roe Herring, dozen	75c
Fancy Brooms	68c	Mackerel, 2 for	25c
Finnan Haddie, lb.	30c	Scrapple from Forest Home Farm, Loudoun County, Try it, lb.	14c
Granulated Sugar, lb.	10c	Olive Oil, Pompeian Brand, quart	$2.00
Baker's Chocolate	18c	Pint $1.00 Half pint	50c

ENGLAND'S LABOR CRISIS.

As will be seen elsewhere in the Gazette, labor movements in Great Britain are causing untold anxiety, and the dire prediction that the wave is liable to cross the Atlantic is producing apprehension here. Like the poor, discontented men are with us always, and it takes but little to bring about convulsions which cause rioting at times and consequent bad feeling between employers and employees.

Two or three hundred thousand men are either on strike or about to quit work in England and Ireland. While this is in evidence, dispatches from certain points in the United States show restlessness and discontent.

MADMAN SHOOTS EIGHT

Kills Three, Wounds Five, While Running Amuck in Heart of Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Jan. 28.—With a loaded revolver in each hand, a man who gave his name as "Omega," son of Jesus Christ," ran amuck through the streets near the center of the city yesterday, shooting in every direction as a big crowd tried to capture him. Before he was finally beaten into insensibility by a policeman, he had shot and killed three men and wounded five others.

According to the police, the man is a religious fanatic and had recome obsessed with the idea that the spirit of his father was being tortured in the power house of the transit company, where he shot his first two victims.

ARREST LABOR OFFICIALS

Federal Move in Street Car Strike in Kansas City, Kan.

Kansas City, Jan. 28.—Twenty labor union officers and striking street carmen were arrested and arraigned before United States commissioners Saturday on a Federal complaint, charging conspiracy to hinder operation of street cars in interstate traffic and conspiracy to interfere with the injunction of John C. Pollock, Federal Judge for Kansas, which placed operation of the Kansas City, Kan., cars in the hands of the United States marshal.

All 20 defendants pleaded not guilty and bond was fixed at $5000 in each case.

ENGLISH LABOR TROUBLES

Will Involve All Europe and Cross Atlantic is the Prediction.

London, Jan. 28.—Strike terror is commencing to gain a vise-like grip upon Great Britain's industries and certain British industrial authorities see her claw soon stretching across the Atlantic to stay the wheels of American commerce.

With the battle cry, "No rent and no income taxes till our demands are met!" 173,000 workers were out last night and before another forty-eight hours it is feared the number may be doubled. The crux of the trouble lies in the demands for a reduction of the forty-seven hour week to one of forty or forty-four hours.

As suggested by one authority, values have changed, both of labor and of goods, and there is no definite means of ascertaining what they will be during the transition from war to peace.

During this period labor troubles of huge proportions are feared. They are expected to spread not only over Europe, but to America as well.

"In Great Britain," said an industrial leader, "the workers have repudiated government intervention; they have scorned the advice of their own leaders, so that no alternative course seems possible save strike.

"Demands made in certain industries can not be conceded without disaster; if they were the industries would promptly cease to exist.

"At Belfast, where more than 100,000 are out of work, due to the strikes in the shipyards, engineering concerns and nearly all factories are closed. The city has no light, no gas, no street cars working as a result of these strikes. On Sunday hundreds of people went to church in the evening carrying candles stuck in bottles."

Eighteen thousand London ship workers have struck for a general increase of 15 shillings a week.

Twenty thousand engineers on the Clyde are out demanding a 40-hour week.

There is another engineer strike at Edinburg.

Ship workers are striking at Leith, Blyth, Manchester and Salford.

Strike outbreaks are feared in South Wales.

There is no immediate fear of a new strike by the police, either in London or the provinces, but the railway men have sent an ultimatum to the government threatening a general strike on February 9 unless a governmental committee is appointed to negotiate with the railway men's Committee.

Belfast, Jan. 28.—The worst labor riots since the outbreak of the war took place here yesterday. Squads of police charged into the rioting mobs of strikers and finally dispersed them. The mobs were attacking and stoning the doors of newspaper offices.

AUCTION SALES

SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer

AUCTION SALE OF A DESIRABLE HOUSE AND LOT IN ROSEMONT ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date on November 8, 1917, and duly recorded among the land records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book 66, page 337, said deed of trust having been given to the undersigned Trustee to secure the payment of a negotiable promissory note as therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of said note, and at the request and by the direction of the holder of the same the undersigned Trustee will offer said property for sale at public auction, at the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1919 at 12 o'clock Noon, all that lot of gruond, with the buildings and improvements thereon, formerly situated in the County of Alexandria, Virginia, but now by virtue of the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, being situated within the corporate limits of said City, known and described as lot seventeen in block eighteen, in section 3 of Rosemont, as said Section appears duly dedicated, platted and recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Deed Book 134, at page 594; this sale being made subject, as stipulated in the afore mentioned deed of trust, to the lien of a deed of trust dated January 15, 1917, and recorded in Deed Book 66, page 32, of the Alexandria City land records, to secure the payment of three negotiable promisosry notes for the sum of one thousand dollars each, being dated on January 15, 1917, and payable three years after date, and further to secure certain interest notes representing the interest to accrue on said principal sum, the purchaser to assume the principal indebtedness and such interest as may be due thereon as of the date of sale.

TERMS OF SALE: CASH. Conveyancing and revenue stamps at the cost of the purchaser.

GEORGE E. WARFIELD, Trustee.

SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer

AUCTION SALE OF A DESIRABLE HOUSE AND LOT IN ROSEMONT ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date on August 25, 1917, recorded among the land records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book 66, page 202, to the undersigned Trustee, given to secure the payment of a negotiable promissory note, as therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of the said note, and at the request and by the direction of the holder of the said note, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction, at the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1919, at 12.30 p. m., all that lot of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the City of Alexandria, Virginia and being known and described as lot twenty-five, block two, in Section 1 of the subdivision of Rosemont in said City, a plat of which subdivision is duly recorded among the land records of the County of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book 119, at pages 366 and 367; this sale being made subject, however, as stipulated in the said deed of trust, to the lien of a deed of trust for the sum of three thousand dollars, with interest thereon at six per cent per annum, bearing date on the 15th day of January 1917, and recorded in Deed Book 66, page 32, of the land records of Alexandria City, the purchaser to assume the principal sum and such interest as may have accumulated up to the date of the above mentioned sale.

TERMS OF SALE: CASH. Conveyancing and revenue stamps at the cost of the purchaser.

HARRY B. CATON, Trustee.

3-td.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Timekeeper and clerk for construction work. Apply to A. W. Petersilia, Alexandria County Lighting Company, Power Plant, foot of Wolfe street. 23-tf.

WANTED—Laborer foreman, man who is familiar with plumbing. Discharged soldier or sailor prefered. Naval Torpedo Plant. See Mr. Carrico. 23-6t.

WANTED—One experienced salesman and two sales ladies wanted at once. Apply to W. T. Farley, 500 King street. 21-tf.

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90x108 Wash Heavy Sheets, extra wide and 3 yards long, at $1.75.

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NOTICE

The regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Fidelity Storage Company will be held at its office 123 South Royal Street, Alexandria, Virginia Wednesday, February 12th, 1919 at 3 o'clock.

P. H, SMYTH, Secretary.
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Help Wanted—On farm four miles from Washington, in Virginia, a competent farmer. Good house with running water and bath, garden patch, fire wood, etc. $50.00 per month for the right man. Address, "Farm" this paper. 19-4t eod

—Rosicrucian Fellowship's literature is to be had at the Dyson's Book Store, 420 King Street.
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LOST AND FOUND

Lost—On Saturday, a gold watch and chain with ring attached. Suitable reward if returned to C. M. Jett, 102 North Fairfax street. 24-1t

Lost—Between Union and Payne streets two government checks, payable to Mrs. Elsie Heplin. Finder will please return to 117 North Payne street and receive reward. 24-1t.

LOST—On Saturday night lost a brown fur while on King between Fayette and St. Asaph streets. Reward if returned to 230 N. St. Asaph street 23-3t.

LOST—The man who picked up a brown cap, belonging to a boy, on Duke near Washingto nstreet Sunday afternoon will please return the same to 723 King street and receive reward. 23-2t.

ROOMS FOR RENT

Rooms For Rent—Rooms at 613 North Washington street; hot and cold water electric light and all modern conveniences, men preferred. 24-2t.

For Rent—Two unfurnished rooms Apply at 905 Prince street. 23-3t

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Rooms For Rent—Two unfurnished rooms with heat, light and bath. Address, Rooms, care of Gazette office. 23-1t.

One large front room, one small single room, 523 South Washington Street. 23-2t.

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FOR SALE

House For Sale—A new six room house hard wood trim and floor; immediate possession; one square from cars. Apply to Frank Benson, Peyton Avenue, Del Ray, Alexandria County. 24-1t.

FOR SALE—Seven tennant houses. Price $350 to $850.

400 Gibbon street	$850
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FOR SALE—Overland car, five passenger good tires, one extra; in good condition. Price, $300. Can be seen at 113 North Payne street. 23-tf.

For Sale—Wood for sale, $4 a cord. Inquire Raymond Concrete Pile Company, Torpedo Plant, foot of Cameron street. 296-tf.

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New Skirts Show Fashion's Trend for SPRING

—A number of novelty striped effects in serge, in rich colorings; box pleated styles which show the stripes to advantage.

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—New Models in Higher Priced Skirts styles that fasten all the way down the back; others that button half way down. They are made with deep belts and finished with tailored pockets.

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106 North Royal Street

EXECUTRIX NOTICE

Having qualified as executrix of the late L. Shuman, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present their statement properly certified for settlement. All persons indebted to the deceased will please settle promptly.

Mrs. Mollie V. Shuman, Executrix.
20-10.

LABORERS WANTED

Laborers Wanted—46 cents per hour.
Apply Naval Torpedo Assembling Plant, Fleischmann Construction Co. 266-tf.

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Sweeping Clearance Sale!
Nothing Reserved! Everything Must Go!

Prices on the merchandise bought especially for the holidays will be offered regardless of cost. All lines are sensationally reduced to bring over-stocks, caused by backward season, down to normal size, and will show you more styles, fabrics and patterns during this sale than nearly any two other stores put together.

Save Yourself Some Money
GET IN ON THESE BARGAINS!
Reductions 1-3 to 1-2 Off

Men's and Young Men's Overcoats
Indications for Spring point to higher prices, especially such essentials as Clothing. In the meanwhile, the hundreds of thousands of soldiers and sailors being demobilized must be clad in peace-time Clothes as well as the civilian population. What, then, is the wise and economical thing for Men to do? Decidedly to BUY NOW.
1-3 Off

Women's and Misses' Suits
Our entire stock, for women and misses is included in this sale. Every suit in our store is offered at just the marked price, and that means that no suit will be reserved. There are plain or semi-tailored and fur-trimmed models in velour, velveteen, novelty checks, English tweed serge, tricolette, etc.
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Men's Fine Overcoats
Select any Suit in the house no difference whether it is a Blue Suit or a Fancy Suit, Staple or Novelty Business Suit, Cutaway Suit, any one is yours at just 1-3 less plainly marked prices.
1-3 Off

Women's Dandy Coats
Our stupendous coat purchases made within the past few weeks are the talk of the trade. To dispose of these coats quickly, we have inaugurated this Great Sale which brings to the women of this city the finest Winter Coats at half price.
1-2 Off

Women's Skirts
Thousands of the season's most stunning street, party, afternoon and evening dresses, including velvets, velours, silks, georgettes, satins, etc., are featured in this sale at the greatest cut prices known in years.
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ACCEPT AMENDMENT

House Expected to Pass $100,000,000 Relief Measure Today.

Conferees on the $100,000,000 food bill for the starving populations of Europe yesterday agreed to all the amendments made by the Senate. It is expected the House will take up the bill today, accept the Senate amendment and send the measure back to the Senate. If this is done, it is possible the Senate may be able to dispose of the bill today also, and then it will go to the President.

Amendments put on by the Senate make more specific the restrictions against permitting any of the food purchased out of the $100,000,000 fund going into enemy countries. They also provide that among the people to be supplied with food must be included Armenians, Christians and Jews under Turkish rule.

TELEPHONES ON AIRPLANES

Those in Peace Conference Service Equipped With Wireless

London, Jan. 28.—The airplanes which are carrying the peace conference delegates and important documents between London and Paris are to be equipped with wireless telephone apparatus. This will enable the pilots to speak to one another while in the air and will also enable them to receive frequent weather reports and instructions from the ground.

The British army during the war, it is declared, perfected the wireless telephone so that pilots could speak to the ground and to one another at a distance of 15 miles. The only difficulty in communication at greater distances was consideration of the weight of larger instruments. Between airships, for instance, it is possible to carry on a conversation at a distance of 50 miles.

RICHMOND THEATRE

Today
THE CAPTIVATING STAR
Peggy Hyland
IN THE WHIRLWIND COMEDY LOVE TALE
"Caught in the Act"
A Story of a Society Bud's love adventure
Pathe Weekly News

Tomorrow
Wallace Reid
IN
"THE DUB"
The Story of a Man Who Made Good.
MYSTERY ROMANCE THRILLS
ALSO A PARAMOUNT MACK-SENNETT COMEDY
"Hide and Seek Detectives"

INGOMAR THEATRE

Today
J. Warren Kerrigan
IN
"A Burglar for a Night"
UNUSUAL ROMANCE, ADVENTURE AND THRILLS
ALSO A CHRISTY COMEDY

Tomorrow
Fannie Ward
IN THE GREAT BROADWAY SUCCESS
"THE NARROW PATH"
A Drama of the Straight and Narrow Way Leading to Happiness and of the Broad Way Leading to Destruction
Also Pathe News Weekly

GRAND THEATRE

Today
"Paws of the Bear"
A Strong Drama of War, Love and Intrigue
William Desmond is the Young American
Clara Williams
Is the Beautiful Countess Olga of the Russian Secret Service
Together They Enact Many Tense Scenes, Full of Thrills and Surprises
Also a Comedy
Admission 10 Cents

Tomorrow
A Big Double Bill
"Vultures of Society"
A Powerful Story of Adventure, Love and Daring in the Homes of the Rich
In Five Big Acts
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Keystone Comedy
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ADMIRAL CHADWICK DEAD

Was Chief of Sampson's Staff During The Spanish-American War.

New York, Jan. 28.—Rear Admiral French Ensor Chadwick, U. S. N, retired, who was chief of staff of Admiral Sampson during the Spanish-American war, died yesterday at his winter home here.

He had been ailing for more than a year, and about a week ago was removed here from his summer home at Newport, R. I. Pneumonia set in and he was seriously ill for several days before his death.

The body will be taken to Morgantown, W. Va., for burial.

He was born February 24, 1844, in Morgantown, W. Va.

HELD AS WIFE SLAYER

Richmond, Va., Jan. 28.—Suspected of being Dr. Wilmer Amos Hadley, a famous army surgeon, for whom a criminal warrant has been issued in connection with his wife's death, police authorities at a place near the Mexican border have taken into custody a man said to fit his description. The suspect, however, saws he is not Hadley, according to information received here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Evans, of Cincinnati, will arrive here this afternoon for the body of Mrs. Hadley and will bring with them letters written by Dr. Hadley stating that Mrs. Hadley had died in San Juan, Porto Rico.

THREATEN TO CLOSE SHIPYARD

San Francisco, Jan. 28.—A strike of approximately 30,000 shipyard and metal workers in the San Francisco Bay region because of differences over the Macy wage award is threatened on February 1, according to an announcement here by H. A. Brotherton, United States shipping board special examiner.

"If the men engage in any prolonged strike the government will cancel the contracts under which they are employed and the yards will remain closed," Brotherton said. "The government will stand by the Macy award."

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A. M.—*5.00, †5.40, †6.00, *6.10, 6.20, *6.30, 6.40, *6.50, 7.00, *7.10, 7.20, *7.30, *7.35, 7.40, *7.45, *7.50, *7.55, 8.00, *8.05, *8.10, 8.20, *8.25, 8.40, 9.00, 9.20, 9.40, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00 11.20, 11.40.

P. M.—12.00, 12.20, 12.40, 1.00, 1.20, 1.40, 1.50, 2.06, 2.10, 2.20, 2.30, 2.40, 2.50, 3.00, 3.10, 3.20, 3.30, 3.40, 3.50, 4.00, 4.10, 4.20, 4.30, 4.40, 4.50, 5.00, 5.10, 5.20, 5.30, 5.40, 5.50, 6.00, 6.10, 6.20, 6.30, 6.40, 6.50, 7.00, 7.10, 7.30, 7.40, 8.00, 8.20, 8.40, 9.00, 9.20, 9.40, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00, 11.20, 11.40. A. M.—12.00.

*Except Sundays and Holidays.
†Except Sundays.

Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon

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EXECUTRIX NOTICE

Having qualified as executrix of the estate of the late Margaret M. Harper, deceased, all persons indebted to the estate, are requested to make prompt settlement and all persons to whom the estate may be indebted are requested to present their claims properly authenticated for settlement.

FANNIE L. HILL,
Executrix of Margaret H. Harper, deceased, 509 Prince street, Alexandria Va.
16-10t

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COMMISSIONERS SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of the authority vested in the undersigned Commissioners of Sale, by a decree of the Corporation Court of Alexandria, Virginia, entered in the suit of W. E. Gladstone Peters et als., vs. Ruth T. Todd, et als., on the 14th day of January, 1919, we will offer for sale at public auction, at the risk and cost of General Realty Corporation, in front of the Royal Street entrance of the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on SATURDAY, THE EIGHTH DAY OF FEBRUARY 1919 at twelve o'clock noon, the following described property, commonly known as the "Gray Farm," situated north of Rosemont and lying on both sides of the Electric Railroad, containing about 52 2-3 acres and bounded as follows, to-wit:

1—Beginning at the intersection of the south side of the Leesburg Road with the southern boundary of the tract of land of which Susanna P. Chapman died seized, and running thence north 58 3-4 degrees west with said road 2210 feet; thence south 5 1-2 degrees west 590 feet; thence south 45 minutes east 540 feet; thence south 68 1-2 degrees east 100 feet; thence south 50 feet; thence north 87 1-2 degrees east 1850 feet to the beginning, containing 28 acres.

2—Beginning at the intersection of the south side of the old Leesburg Road with the north boundary of the tract of land of which Susanna P. Chapman died seized, and running thence south 87 degrees west 2100 feet; thence south 8 3-4 degrees east 605 feet; thence north 87 degres east 1975 feet; thence north 5 degrees 30 minutes east 590 feet to the said Leesburg Road; thence north 58-3-4 degrees west 30 feet to the beginning containing 28 acres, more or less, being subject to the following rights of way, to-wit:

1—Russell Road, containing .571 acres.

2—Washington-Alexandria and Mt. Vernon Railway Co., right of way containing 1.77 acres.

3—Washington-Southern Railway Co., right of way, containing one acre.

Terms of sale, cash as to $7,393.19, with interest thereon from October 2, 1918, and the expenses of the sale herein; and the remainder in three equal annual payments, bearing interest and evidenced by notes of the purchaser secured by first lien upon the property, or cash at the option of the purchaser.

JOHN M. JOHNSON,
HOWARD W. SMITH,
Wm. P. WOOLLS,
Commissioners of Sale.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, do certify that Howard W. Smith, one of the Commissioners named in the above mentioned decree, has executed the bond required by said decree with approved surety.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
By Cora Duffey, D. C.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation, will be held at the office of the company, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 31st day of January, 1919, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated this 20th day of January, 1919.

By order of the Board.
20-8t F. H. HIGGINS, secy.

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